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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	Randal Howard Kerstetter III et al.
Serial No.:	10/624,742
Filed:	July 21, 2003
Examiner:	Michael C. Miggins
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Title:	COMPOSITE HAVING RUBBER COMPOUND WITH HYDROTALCITE
Atty Docket:	DN2002101

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PETITION TO WITHDRAW FROM ISSUE
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2)**

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner to withdraw this application from issue with accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2) so that claim amendments may be considered in a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 being filed concurrently herewith.

Applicants do not believe that any other fees are due in connection with this submission other than the fees for the petition and the Request for Continued Examination.

However, if such petition is due or any other fees are necessary, the Commissioner may consider this to be a request for such and charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 23-3000.

Respectfully submitted,

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